

## Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

CHAS. M. MEACHAM, Editor.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1889.

### HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY.

A live and growing city of 8,000 inhabitants, situated in a county of 40,000. The Louisville and Nashville has two lines of railroad passing through the city. The largest tobacco growing country in the world. Wheat, corn, hay, coal, live stock and fruits produced for export in large quantities. The city has four banks with an aggregate capital of \$1,000,000. A planing mill and wagon factory, three carriage factories, lime factory, tobacco manufactory, two laundries, three brickyards, broom factory, steam laundry, ice factory, two large flouring mills in the city and several in the county, hybrid driving park and race opera house. Five turnpikes centering in Hopkinsville. Building and Loan Association, Commercial Club, telephone exchange, numbered streets and houses and city lighted by gas. Manufactured streets and brick sidewalks all over the city. Eleven churches, two colleges, a high school and the finest system of public schools, white and colored, in the State. Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum with a population of 100, two miles east of the city. A 100,000 acre tract with town clock in the dome. A fine fire department and a company of State Guards. Little River furnishes an adequate supply of water for all purposes. Real estate low and rents cheap. Fine opening for woolen mill, pork packing establishment, fruit canners, tannery and many other enterprises. Climate mild and invigorating and exceedingly healthy.

An oyster trust is the latest device for making the public shell out.

Since the carpet manufacturers have formed a combine, there will be no more sweeping reductions in prices.

The President has gone into seclusion to incubate ideas for his next message to Congress. Cut it short, Ben, cut it short.

Secretary Noble has declared Senator Manderson's pension re-rating to be illegal. He will be called upon to litigate the \$4,000 paid him by Tanner.

It is proposed to build a tower 2,000 feet high at the World's Fair in '92. There's nothing like giving our working men a fair chance to rise in the world.

Gilbert and Sullivan will turn loose another comic opera next month. Speaking of fresh things, when will the end man surprise us with a new joke?

As a result of the continued droughts, 100 families are reported to be in a starving condition in Ramsey county, Dakota. Begging committees have been organized.

England wants the United States to take possession of the Sandwich Islands. John Bull should know that Uncle Sam doesn't feed on Sandwiches. It is pie we are after.

A workman was literally roasted in a net work of live electric wires in New York Saturday. For once the headliner could truthfully speak of "A Shocking Tragedy."

The announcement is made that the Pan-American delegates will be taken south during the winter, probably about January. Well after all it is very proper that the best should be saved till the last.

It took a Bowling Green young man a whole week to nerve himself up to marry an Elizabethtown girl after the wedding day had arrived. She was an organist, which probably explains the matter.

The people of Dakota are great on home industries, while Dakota farmers are starving to death because they cannot make a living; and yet the election of a fool killer was overlooked in the heat of the late campaign for protection.

The dramatic performances in New York must be of a very exciting character this season. Last week the actor, Bishop dropped dead while playing and a night or two later an old merchant named Lilly suffered a like fate while witnessing a play at one of the theatres.

Axtell, a young stallion, last week lowered the three-year-old trotting record of 2:13 1/4 to 2:12. The colt was, after this triumph, sold to Col. Jno. W. Conley, of Chicago, for \$105,000, the highest price ever paid for a piece of horse flesh. Axtell will be wintered in California and next year will try to lower the 2:30 record of Mand S.

Gov. Buckner has appointed the following representatives from Kentucky to the Wheat Growers' Convention which meets in St. Louis, the 23d inst.

State at Large—Hon. Cole Boswell, Owensville; Hon. F. M. Clements, Marion; First district, Wm. H. Blair; Second district, Jas. B. Black; Third district, Wm. Cook; Fourth district, Wm. Sprigg; Fifth district, Richard Waters; Sixth district, Hon. Reuben Conner; Seventh district, Col. Jacob Graves; Eighth district, C. T. Armstrong; Ninth district, D. C. Frazee; Tenth district, J. H. Mason; Eleventh district, W. H. Downer.

The Great Brooklyn Tabernacle, of which Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage is pastor, was totally destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. The loss is \$150,000, covered by insurance. The building was dedicated in February, 1874. The seating capacity was 2,800, but the house has been too small to accommodate the crowds for several years. The fire forces Dr. Talmage to postpone his trip to the Holy Land on the 30th inst. The church will be rebuilt at once. The fire is supposed to have been started by electricity over the illuminating wires during a storm the evening before.

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## The Democrats achieved a signal victory in Nashville Thursday, electing their entire city ticket by 1,600 majority.

The voting was done under the new Dutton law, modified after the Australian system. This law requires the voter to go into a room alone and mark the names he desires to vote for, on an official ticket containing the names of all the candidates. In the recent election in Chattanooga the law was evaded by the use of a ticket like a "hand plant" is used in setting out tobacco. A voter would go into the room and prepare a Republican ticket but fail to put it in the box and bring it out with him. This would be given to a colored voter who would go in and get a blank ticket, vote the prepared one and bring out the blank one, which would be filled up for the next voter and so on. This scheme was worked all day before the Democrats "caught on." In the election in Nashville another plan was hit upon for instructing the ignorant voter. A tin tag was made which when spread upon the official ticket concealed all the names excepting those of the Republican candidates. The voters were instructed to work these exposed names. This "racket" was "tumbled to" early in the day and a stop put to it. The American says the new law, in spite of the efforts made to evade it, worked satisfactorily and is an entire success.

The very popular and progressive Democrats' Family Magazine published, ten years ago, when an International Exhibition was then talked of, a map of the identical site that has now been chosen by the New York Committee for the World's Fair of 1892. In the November number of this famous Magazine (just issued) this plan is reproduced, hand-drawn, executed, and on extra fine paper. Everybody should possess this number, if only for this feature. The same enterprise is shown throughout the entire Magazine. "Woman-Novels of America" contains some fine portraits of those with whose names and books we are so familiar. Fine illustrations constitute a feature of this Magazine; and in the November number there are over one hundred of them. It is certainly the cheapest \$2.00 Magazine in the market. Published by W. Jennings Demorest, 15 East 14th Street, New York.

The following is a list of the officers elected at the Grand Knights Templar Conclave at Washington: Warren L. Thomas, of Mayaville, Ky., Grand Generalissimo; H. Hendly, of San Francisco, Cal., Grand Captain General; Henry Bates Stoddard, of Dryden, Tex., Grand Senior Warden; Nicholas Van Slyck, of Providence, R. I., Grand Junior Warden; H. Wales, of London, Conn., Grand Treasurer; and W. B. Isaacs, of Richmond, Va., Grand Recorder. It will be seen that Kentucky, as usual, captures first honors.

The following 26 counties voted against the constitutional convention: Adair, Allen, Ballard, Breathitt, Carlisle, Cumberland, Elmore, Estill, Fleming, Graves, Grayson, Green, Hickman, Hopkins, Knott, Letcher, Livingston, Marshall, Martin, McCracken, Metcalf, Oldham, Pike, Powell, Rowan and Russell.

Chicago has absorbed one suburb after another until the city now covers 175 square miles and claims a population of more than a million. And yet 50 years ago there was not even a post office on the present site of the city.

Thos. L. Sullivan is the new Democratic mayor of Indianapolis. From the way he knocked out the Republican majority, he must be a relative of another distinguished gentleman of the same name.

The Messenger says the attendance at the Owensboro fair was the greatest on record, the crowd being estimated at from 10,000 to 12,000 each day. Owensboro has the best fair in Kentucky.

The Electrical Execution law of New York has been decided constitutional and murderer Kemmler is doomed to die by the new method.

Nutting, the sick Republican congressman in New York, has resigned receiving it is stated \$75,000 to make way for an able-bodied partisan.

They are still finding dead bodies at Johnston's that have been buried under debris since May 31. Five were taken out last week.

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## County Correspondence.

CROFTON.

CROFTON, Oct. 13.—Thos. J. Dulin and Miss Minnie Mills were married at the residence of the bride's father, near Olmstead, Ky., last Thursday, Oct. 10th. They arrived here Friday and were given a reception by the groom's father, John M. Dulin. They were accompanied home by Misses Mills and Holland. The groom is considered one of our best young men and the bride is a lady that any man might be proud to call his wife. We congratulate Tom upon winning such a prize and wish for them a future unmarred by disappointments.

Prof. Pitman, John Atkinson, Frank Prouse, Charlie Gray and wife went to Mrs. Mary Atkinson's Friday to attend a sorghum pulling. They report a delightful time.

Miss Heale Stevens, of your city, was shaking hands with her old friends yesterday and soliciting orders for making life-size portraits in crayon. She met with great success here, getting thirteen orders.

Geo. Williams, col. disguised himself Friday and acted in a maniacal way in our town, frightening women and children. He was arrested and taxed \$5 for what he called fun.

John H. Myers, of Earlinton, was in our town today.

Miss Leona Jamison and sister, of Evansville, Ind., are visiting Miss Birdie Johnson.

C. E. Mann, of Baker, Tenn., spent several days in our town this week.

BUCK.

TRIGG COUNTY.

ROARING SPRING, Ky., Oct. 12.—I notice in your paper that you have no correspondent from Roaring Spring, so I consider it my duty to let you hear from our little town, and surroundings.

Some of our friends were very much surprised on waking last Monday morning to find that "Jack Frost" had been their unexpected visitor during the night, though in general the farmers were through cutting tobacco, if they did finish on the "Lord's Day." Most of the farmers at present are busy sowing wheat and we expect a full crop.

I am glad to say that we have a very flourishing school in our little town, which is taught by Mrs. M. Rascoe, who is known in this section as an excellent teacher.

A protracted meeting begins at the Christian church the fourth Sunday, and is to be conducted by Rev. W. E. Mobley.

Rev. Peters has resigned the pastorate of the M. E. church and Rev. Stubbfield has accepted the same.

We sincerely hope that some of the citizens of this vicinity will remember the meetings and try and attend, especially those who were in town Tuesday.

There is a young lady in this vicinity who owns one of the prettiest little gray horses, but as she is going to "Tennessee," she wishes to dispose of it. Now boys there's a chance for a keep sake—"the horse."

MAMA'S PET.

Auditor Hewitt's Circular.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, OFFICE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCTS., FRANKFORT, Oct. 8, 1889.

To Sheriffs: The law directs that six per cent. be added to all taxes remaining unpaid on the 1st day of November. Sheriffs should report on that day to this office the amount of taxes paid up to and including the 30th of October. They will then be charged at this office with six per cent on all taxes remaining unpaid, which taxes, with the six per cent. added, it is their duty to collect and pay into the Treasury on or before the 1st day of December. Failing to do so collect and pay in, another six per cent. is added by the law to be paid by the Sheriff. This is an entirely different per cent. from that charged the tax payer, which must be collected from the people, while this is charged to the Sheriff and must be paid by him into the Treasury, whether he collects it or not. The six per cent. added on the 1st of December cannot be collected from the people, but must be paid by the Sheriff as a penalty for failing to settle on or before the 1st of December.

This circular is sent out to avoid any misunderstanding on the part of Sheriffs serving their first term.

Very Truly,

FAYETTE HEWITT, Auditor.

American Forestry Congress.

Gov. Buckner has appointed the following commissioners to represent the state of Kentucky at the American Forestry Congress, to be held at Philadelphia from Oct. 15 to 18.

State at Large—A. M. Brown, Elizabethtown; W. B. Macey, Munfordville.

First district—W. M. Samuels, Clinton; Second district—Col. J. H. Powell; Third district—William Cook; Bowling Green; Fourth district—William H. Hays, Bardonia Junction; Fifth district—A. P. Farwell, Louisville; Sixth district—J. Frank Grant, Petersburg; Seventh district—Dr. R. J. Spurr, Fayette county; Eighth district—William B. Craddock, Mumfordsville; Ninth district—R. K. Hart, Flemingsburg; Tenth district—A. H. Logan, Shelbyville; Eleventh district—Gen. T. T. Garrard, Manchester.

Since August 1887 the government has purchased \$208,000,000 of its own bonds, paying a premium of \$35,000,000 and saving \$47,000,000.

Denver was selected as the place for holding the next Knights Templar Conclave.

## Every Household

Should have Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

It saves thousands of lives annually, and is peculiarly efficacious in Croup, Whooping Cough, and Sore Throat.

"After an extensive practice of nearly one-third of a century, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is my cure for recent colds and coughs. I prescribe it and believe it to be the very best expectorant now offered to the people."—Dr. John O. Lewis, Druggist, West Bridgewater, Pa.

"Some years ago Ayer's Cherry Pectoral cured me of asthma after the best medical skill had failed to give me relief. A few weeks since, being again a little troubled with the disease, I was promptly

Relieved By the same remedy. I gladly offer this testimony for the benefit of all similarly afflicted."—F. H. Hasler, Editor Argus, Table Rock, Neb.

"For children afflicted with colds, coughs, sore throat, or croup, I do not know of any remedy which will give more speedy relief than Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I have found it also, invaluable in cases of whooping cough."—B. M. Bryant, Chicago, Pa.

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This Week's Plays.

The Jennie Holman Company will give four performances this week, beginning to-morrow evening. The company has a superb band and orchestra and gives some excellent comedy pieces. The opening play will be "Dad's Girl." The Clarksville Progress says: "Miss Holman and company appeared in a good house last night at the opera-house, 'The Lightning Rod Agent,' and the piece was nicely given. Miss Holman as Vixie Vaughn was at her best and acted decidedly clever. She brought out the wit of the little girl to a good advantage and made it a strong character. Mr. Krause was the hit of the play and kept the audience in uproars of laughter. He is a good comedian and makes many happy hits. The others were good and the play well given."

Call on F. L. Hancock if you have pension claims to be attended to. Over McPherson's office. Bring papers.

"Petersen's" Thanksgiving number is among the handsomest of the November magazines. The numerous illustrations are all excellent, from the beautiful steel-engraving to the double fashion-plate. The literary contents are exceptionally strong.

Frank Lee Benedict's serial is one of his best, and Alice Maud Ewell's "Wycham's Ordinary" is the finest and most dramatic of her productions. Howard Seely has a capital sketch, "A Thanksgiving in the Southwest," to which an illustrated story, "At Cross-Cut Farm," makes an admirable contrast. Address: Peckers Magazine, 306 Chestnut street Philadelphia, Pa. A sample-copy will be sent to anyone desiring to get up a club.

A woman named Sallie Moon, one of the witnesses in the alleged rape case in which Pink Humphreys figured as defendant last week, was shot by some unknown party while standing in her door near the Eugene Mills Friday night. The gun which inflicted her wounds was loaded with small shot and she was pretty severely peppered about the lower part of her body. It was a cowardly deed and the perpetrators should be severely punished, but they are not known and are not likely to be caught. The woman thinks there were several of them.

Messrs. J. H. Durando & Co. have rented the store room adjoining McKee's grocery and will soon begin to put some life into the jewelry business. They are having the room nicely fitted up and will have their show cases ready by the middle of the week. They are enterprising and pushing young men, who understand their business. They will carry a complete stock of goods and will have one of the handsomest stores in the city.

Excelsior of Grains, Perfection of Water, Expert Knowledge of all the best methods of Distillation, Extensive Experience, Abundant Capital, Complete and Expensive Equipment and High Purpose, all these are used in the making of HARPERS' NESSON COUNTY, KY., WHISKY for which we have secured the sole agency.

EDMUNDSON & LONG, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Bayless Gerhart and sister, Mrs. Tom Cross left Tuesday morning for Los Angeles, Cal., where Mr. Cross has been pleasantly located since last spring. We wish them much happiness and prosperity in their new home, but shall expect Bayless back soon for the girl he leaves behind.—Clarksville Chronicle

Rev. E. C. Bomar, a young South Carolina minister, a student in the Louisville Seminary, preached two very interesting and earnest discourses at the Baptist church Sunday. His congregation at both services was large and attentive and the young discipline made a very favorable impression.

Among the important cases to be tried at the present term of the Hopkins Circuit Court is the noted Elgin murder case, in which Senator Voorhees made a speech at a former trial some years ago. There have been several trials, the last having been stopped by the sickness of a juror.

Bones Chappell, sent up from Hopkins for two years for cutting with intent to kill, has been pardoned by the Governor after serving half his time. He is dying with consumption and was brought home on a cot.

# THE BALL IS ROLLING The New Shoe Store.

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